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## RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS AND AMENDMENT DIRECTING ENTRY INTO THE SPECIFICATION

Sir:

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This paper is in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed on March 15, 2002 for which a response is due on May 15, 2002.

Applicants submit this amendment to request entry of the enclosed paper copy of the sequence listing from International Application Number PCT/US99/26048 into the above-identified U.S. national phase patent application.

Applicant(s) submit the document(s) listed below to complete the filing for the above-identified patent application.

- 1. A Substitute Computer Readable Form (CRF) of the "Sequence Listing" of the above-identified USN application;
- 2. Submission Under 37 CFR § 1.821 1.825 Sequence Listing (1 pg.);
- 3. A substitute paper copy of the "Sequence Listing" (48 pp.);
- 4. A copy of PTO form PCT/DO/EO/905 (371 Formalities Notice); and
- 5. A return receipt postcard.

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In the Notification, the Onice of Initial Patent Examination has requested a replacement sequence listing and an amendment directing its entry into the specification – where it already exists and has since the initial PCT filing. These actions are not understood.

Applicant's do not believe a fee is due with this filing. However, if the Patent Office deems that a fee is due, please charge Deposit Account No. 09-0108.

If there are any questions regarding the above, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
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- Copy of the International Search Report
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The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH(N TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below:

- The nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure contained in this application does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 for the following reason(s):
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Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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